

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (Original). An isolated polypeptide having the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1.

Claim 2 (Original). An isolated polypeptide having an amino acid sequence that is at least 80% identical over its entire length to the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1.

Claim 3 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition comprising a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claim 4 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition comprising a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence that is at least 80% identical over its entire length to the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1.

Claim 5 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 3 in a unit dosage form.

Claim 6 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5 comprising from about 10 mg to about 100 mg of the polypeptide set forth in SEQ ID NO:1.

Claim 7 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 6 comprising from about 10 mg to about 50 mg of the polypeptide.

Claim 8 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7 comprising from about 10 mg to about 30 mg of the polypeptide.

Claim 9 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5 wherein the unit dosage form is in the form of a tablet or capsule.

Claim 10 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 4 in a unit dosage form.

Claim 11 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 10 comprising from about 10 mg to about 100 mg of the polypeptide.

Claim 12 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 11 comprising from about 10 mg to about 50 mg of the polypeptide.

Claim 13 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 12 comprising from about 10 mg to about 30 mg of the polypeptide.

Claim 14 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 10 wherein the unit dosage form is in the form of a tablet or capsule.

Claim 15 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5 wherein the unit dosage form is in the form of an injectable solution which comprises from about 500 mg to about 5,000 mg per liter.

Claim 16 (Original). A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 15 in the form of an injectable solution which comprises from about 500 mg to about 5000 mg per liter of a polypeptide that is at least 80% identical over its entire length to the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1.

Claims 17-55 (Cancelled).